



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Hartmut Riechers et al.)	Art Unit:	1624
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Serial No.:	10/602,275)	Examiner:	Bruck Kifle
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Filed:	June 24, 2003)	Atty Dkt. No.:	ABB10010P0114US
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For:	Novel Carboxylic Acid)		
	Derivatives, Their Preparation)		
	And Use)		

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop RCE
 Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance dated January 11, 2006, please amend the application as follows. Please date stamp and return the enclosed postcard as evidence of receipt.

Amendment to the Claims are reflected on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.